GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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SOCIAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT STUDY BEFORE LAND ACQUISITION
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any proposal to define public purpose clearly and make it specific and to have social impact assessment study mandatory before acquisition of land;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SISIR KUMAR ADHIKARI)

(a) to (c): Introducing the Land Acquisition (Amendment) Bill in the Parliament is under consideration. The details of the Bills would become known once it is introduced in the Parliament.